

IN THE CLAIMS:

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

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8. (previously presented) A dishwashing machine, comprising:
a dishwashing machine housing having an internal height;
a pair of retractable pull-out upper and lower containers mounted one above the other in said housing;
each of said retractable pull-out containers containing a dishwashing system;
and
said upper and lower containers having a total height less than said internal housing height.
9. (currently amended) The dishwashing machine according to claim 8, wherein said housing has a pair of opposed sides and a base, each of said of retractable pull-out upper and lower containers having a front piece and being mounted in said housing such that said retractable pull-out upper and lower containers are located between said opposed sides of said housing and said front pieces of said of retractable pull-out upper and lower containers form a front of the dishwashing machine and said lower container is above said base of said housing and further comprising means, extending between the dishwashing machine and a surface on which the dishwashing machine is to be supported, for maintaining said base of said housing at a height above the surface on which the dishwashing machine is to be supported.
10. (previously presented) The dishwashing machine according to claim 8, including said upper and lower containers have different heights.
11. (previously presented) The dishwashing machine according to claim 10, including said upper container has a height greater than the height of said lower container.

12. (previously presented) The dishwashing machine according to claim 9, wherein said means for maintaining said base of said housing at a height above the surface on which the dishwashing machine is to be supported includes a pair of front and a pair of rear installation feet attached thereto.

13. (previously presented) The dishwashing machine according to claim 12, wherein each of said opposed sides of said housing includes a forward portion extending between an edge of the respective opposed side that is adjacent one of said upper and lower pull-out containers and a back portion of said opposed side, said forward and back portions of each of said opposed sides of said housing each having a bottom edge, and said bottom edge of said forward portion of each of said opposed sides of said housing being higher than said bottom edge of said back portion of each of said opposed sides of said housing, whereby a pedestal recess is formed under said forward portions of said opposed sides of said housing having a depth extending from the front of the dishwashing machine to said back portions of said opposed sides of said housing and having a height above the surface on which the dishwashing machine is to be supported that is greater than the height of said back portions of said opposed sides of said housing above the surface on which the dishwashing machine is to be supported and including said pair of front installation feet are set back on said housing from the front of the dishwashing machine at least as far as the depth of said pedestal recess.

14. (previously presented) The dishwashing machine according to claim 12, including each of said pair of front and said pair of rear installation feet being height adjustable.

15. (currently amended) The dishwashing machine according to claim 13, and further comprising a base panel set back by the depth of said pedestal recess and extending between said base of said housing and the surface on which the dishwashing machine is to be supported, said pair of front and said pair of rear installation feet being disposed below said base of said housing, said base panel having a height substantially that of the depth of pair of front and

said pair of rear installation feet below said base of said housing, and said base panel being set back on said housing from the front of the dishwashing machine at a depth less than the depth at which said pair of front installation feet are set back on said housing, whereby said base panel covers said pair of front installation feet from view from the front of the dishwashing machine.